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May 15, 2007

Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
State of Louisiana
Post Office Box 94275
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

RE: HEARING APPLICATION
Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A
Hosston Formation, Reservoir A
CV RA SU65 and HOSS RA SU59
Elm Grove Field
Caddo and Bossier Parishes, Louisiana
Our File No. 430071.0086

Dear Sir:

On behalf of QUESTAR EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION COMPANY, application is hereby made for a public hearing to receive evidence concerning the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, and the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo and Bossier Parishes, Louisiana:

1. To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize two (2) additional alternate unit wells for CV RA SU65 and HOSS RA SU59, at the location and amended location which shall be in lieu of the location approved by Order Nos. 361-B-437 and 361-A-418, effective October 6, 2005, shown on the plats attached hereto, which are in exception to the well spacing provisions of Order No. 361-B, effective October 1, 1973, and Order No. 361-A-1, effective October 1, 1972.
2. To explicitly find that the abovesaid wells are necessary to drain a portion of the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, and the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field underlying CV RA SU65 and HOSS RA SU59, which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well in such units.
3. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo, Bossier and Webster Parishes, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-B, effective October 1, 1973, and was further defined in subsequent Orders of the 361-B Series.

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The Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo, Bossier and Webster Parishes, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-A-1, effective October 1, 1972, and was further defined in subsequent Orders of the 361-A Series.

The Rules of Procedure of the Commissioner of Conservation pertaining to the Pre-Application Notice requirements, are not applicable to the hearing requested herein, which requires legal notice of only ten (10) days.

Pertinent data concerning the intended application will be made available for inspection at the offices of the undersigned. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call the undersigned at (318) 221-6858 during normal business hours or write the undersigned at the above address in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data can be obtained at the expense of the requesting party.

A list of the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties (as defined in the Rules of Procedure) is attached hereto, and a copy of this notice, with the annexed plats, are being sent to each of such persons. A reasonable effort has been made to determine that the enclosed list includes all of the persons to whom this notice must be sent under the Rules of Procedure.

A check in the amount of \$1,510.00 made payable to the Commissioner of Conservation is enclosed herewith as the statutory fee for holding the requested hearing.

This application is being filed in duplicate, and a copy hereof is being sent to Mr. James C. Broussard, Shreveport District Manager of the Office of Conservation and to each Interested Owner, Represented Party and Interested Party whose name is shown on the attached list.

Very truly yours,

BLANCHARD, WALKER, O'QUIN & ROBERTS

By: 

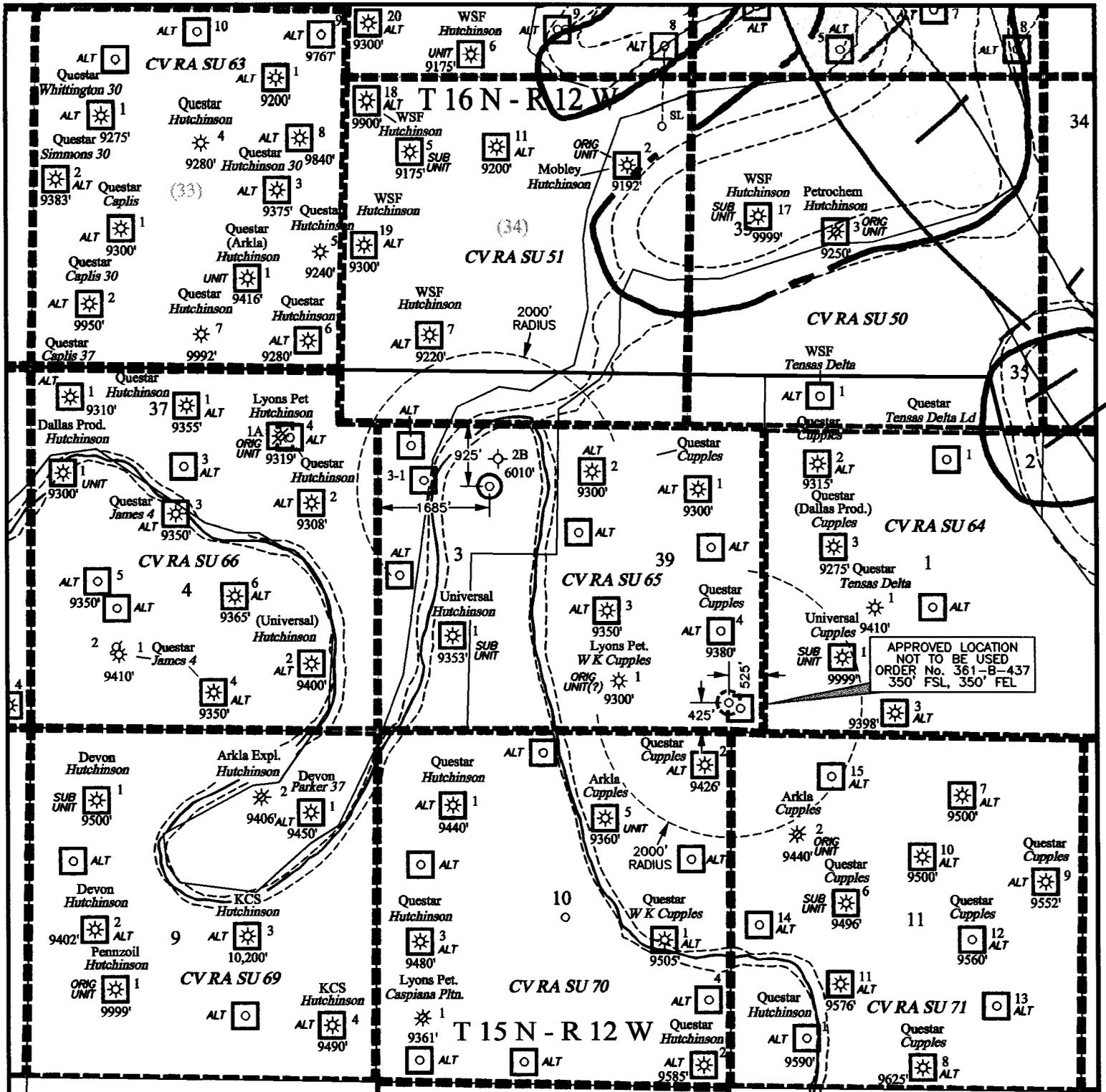
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Enclosures

cc: Mr. James C. Broussard, Shreveport District Manager,
Office of Conservation (w/enclosures)

Interested Owners, Represented Parties
and Interested Parties (w/copy of plats only)



QUESTAR EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION COMPANY

ELM GROVE FIELD CADDO PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED ALTERNATE UNIT WELL AT EXCEPTIONAL LOCATION AND PROPOSED AMENDED LOCATION OF AN APPROVED ALTERNATE UNIT WELL AT EXCEPTIONAL LOCATION FOR CV RA SU 65

- :EXISTING COTTON VALLEY RES A UNITS
- ☉ :PROPOSED ALTERNATE UNIT WELL
- ☉ :EXISTING COTTON VALLEY RES A UNIT AND ALTERNATE UNIT WELLS
- ☉ :PROPOSED AMENDED LOCATION OF APPROVED ALTERNATE UNIT WELL

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ONLY WELLS DEEPER THAN 5000' TD SHOWN

